

# SEVEN JAP WARSHIPS ARE SUNK

## CORREGIDOR LOSSES ESTIMATED AT 11,574 BY WAR DEPARTMENT

INCLUDES SOLDIERS, SAILORS, MARINES AND CIVILIANS IN MANILA BAY

WASHINGTON, May 7.—(P)—The war department announced today that approximately 11,574 soldiers, sailors, marines and civilians presumably were captured by the Japanese on Corregidor and the other Manila Bay forts.

The estimate was based on reports received up to April 15, a communiqué said, and did not take into consideration casualties which might have been suffered in the last three weeks.

The total included 2,275 naval personnel, 1,570 Marines, 3,734 American soldiers, 1,280 Philippine Scouts, 1,446 soldiers of the Philippine Commonwealth army, and 1,269 casuals including civilians and individuals not otherwise classified.

The communiqué was issued at a press conference by the Undersecretary of War, Robert P. Patterson, who said that Lieutenant General Jonathan M. Wainwright, commanding the American-Filipino forces, presumably was among those captured.

Text of Communiqué.

The text of the communiqué, No. 219 of the war:

1. Philippine theater:

"The total of soldiers, sailors, marines and civilians on Corregidor and the other fortified islands in Manila Bay at the time of their capture by the Japanese is estimated to be approximately 11,574. This estimate is based on reports received up to April 15, 1942, and does not take into consideration casualties which may have been suffered since that time. This number includes 2,275 naval personnel, 1,570 Marines, 3,734 American soldiers, 1,280 Philippine Scouts, 1,446 soldiers of the Philippine Commonwealth army, and 1,269 casuals, including civilians and individuals not otherwise classified."

Organizations in Garrison.

The following organizations comprised the garrisons of the harbor defenses:

"R. U. S. forces in Philippines 200;

"Hq. Philippine Department 28;

"H. and Hq. Battery, Harbor defenses of Manila and Subic Bays 241;

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## INCREASED JAPANESE NAVAL ACTIVITY IN AUSTRALIAN AREA

## ALLIED BOMBER COMMAND TAKES ACTION TO BREAK UP DEVELOPING THREATS

By C. YATES McDANIEL  
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Australia, May 7.—(P)—An ominous increase in Japanese naval activity around New Britain and the Solomon Islands was reported today, with the allied bomber command swiftly countering with high explosives on this developing threat to the all-important American-Australian supply routes.

A headquarters communiqué noted that the strengthening of the Japanese in those two north-northeastern groups where they already have established footholds said the Japanese warships near Bougainville, in the Solomons, 300 miles east of New Britain, were "attacked successfully" yesterday.

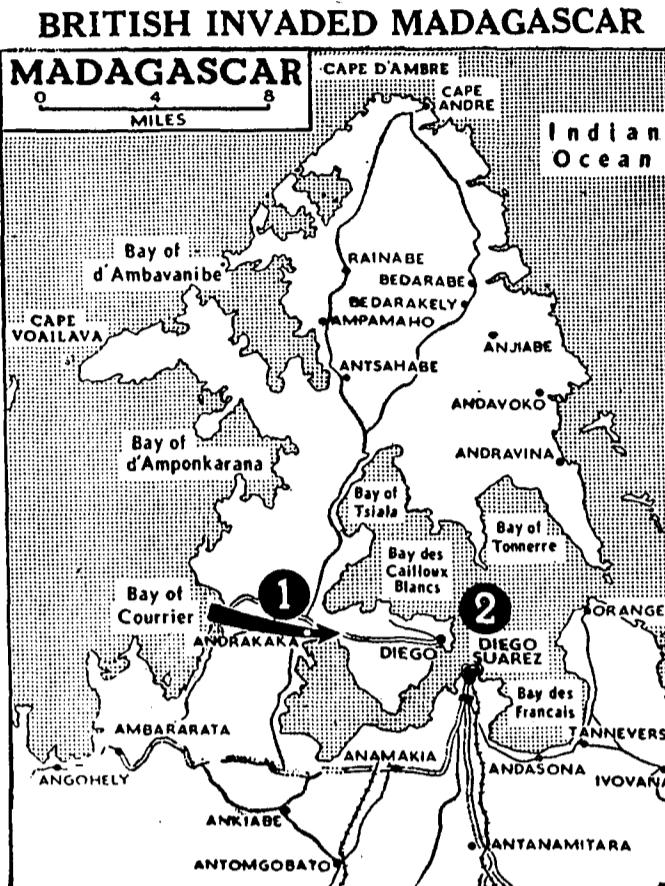
No details were given, but obviously headquarters was alive to the implications of any strengthening of the invader's forces in those areas: A direct assault on Australia or an encircling move to the screen of islands east of that continent.

These developments emphasized the continued danger menacing Australia, although headquarters reported diminishing Japanese air pressure on Port Moresby, vital Allied outpost on the south shore of New Guinea.

Observers expressed belief that the lessening of aerial attacks upon Port Moresby was direct evidence of the hard blows dealt the Japanese airmen at Lae, on the northeast coast of New Guinea, and Rabaul, now Britain's.

In contemplating the possibility of a new Japanese threat, observers took into account the fact that the fall of Corregidor had made Manila harbor available to the enemy as a new base of operations and released men and equipment for duty elsewhere.

tribute. From MacArthur. The fall of Corregidor brought today from General Douglas MacArthur a tribute to the men he personally commanded there before coming to Australia to be



This closeup map of the northern tip of Madagascar, Vichy French island off the southeast African coast, shows (arrow) where British forces landed at Courrier Bay and drove inland, capturing Andrikarana (1), just a few miles from their main objective, the naval base at Diego Suarez (2). While these land forces approached Diego Suarez from the rear, warships and airplanes attacked the harbor frontally, dispaches said.

## DAN MOODY PLANS AN OLD-FASHIONED, STUMPING CAMPAIGN

## ALL RED WILL NOT AN- OUNCE PLANS UNTIL RESI- GATION IS EFFECTIVE

By WILLIAM E. KEYS

AUSTIN, May 7.—(P)—Red-headed Dan Moody said today he would take the stump in the fourth-consecutive senatorial campaign in an old-fashioned speaking tour that will give the electorate a radio and stump campaign.

James V. Allred said he would not announce details of his campaign until after May 15, when his resignation as federal judge is effective. Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel's tactics were almost certain to follow the form of his three previous campaigns, in which showmanship played a major role. O'Daniel's original and best method is the radio.

O'Daniel in Washington said he had no comment to make on yesterday's twin-barreled announcement by the other two former governors that they would oppose him in the Democratic primaries for nomination to the full U. S. senate term.

Moody, who made his first announcement by taking a recess from trial where he was appearing as an attorney, followed it with a statement in which he promised to engage in demagogery, not to be a half-finisher, but to "support in every possible way and to the very limit of my ability the war effort of this country."

Moody, master of invective, feels that an audience gets close

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## THURSDAY FINAL DAY REGISTRATION SUGAR RATIONING

## OVER FORTY-THREE THOUS- AND SIGNED UP CLOSE OF BUSINESS WEDNESDAY

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## WPA SCHOOL LUNCH PROJECT PLANNING TO REFLANGE CANS

In view of the present shortage of tin and as a means of utilizing material on hand, the WPA School Lunch Project in this county will re-flange all cans in order to use them in the canning program this year.

Instructions have been received by the school lunch supervisor of this county concerning the cleaning, drying and storing of the cans and the re-flanging process will be started immediately as soon as the cans will be ready when the WPA canning center opens. In addition to the old cans, new cans furnished by WPA will also be used in the school lunch canning program.

Miss Doris Wilson  
And Jesse Childers  
Were Wed Monday

Miss Doris Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson, and Jesse E. Childers, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Childers, were married Monday, May 4, at high noon at the home of the bride's parents.

The ceremony was read by the Rev. G. Ross Smith of the Central Methodist church before an impromptu altar, fashioned of white roses and lighted by pale blue tapers. Only immediate members of the families and a few close friends attended.

The bride wore a powder blue suit with white accessories with a corsage of white carnations. For something old she wore the weddng band of her paternal great-grandmother. The couple left for a short wedding trip, after which Mr. Childers will return to Camp Blanding, Fla., where he is training. Mrs. Childers will join her husband the first of June.

Mrs. J. N. Gee  
Died at Palestine

PALESTINE, May 5.—Mrs. J. N. Gee, aged 70 years, wife of the late Dr. Gee of Bethel, died here Monday. Funeral services were held at Bethel Tuesday where she lived most of her life. Her late husband was also one of the officials and sponsors of the Texas Field Trials at Bethel before his death in 1933.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Alice Skeet, Bethel, and Mrs. Marporle Lucas, Alto; a sister, Mrs. J. L. Styner, Palestine; and a brother, State Senator Clay Cotter, Palestine, and other relatives.

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## OLD STRUGGLE OF PRIVILEGE IS NOW COMING TO CLIMAX\*

Dramatic Fight of Jesus Against Entrenched Exploitation—But an Early Skirmish of Ages—Old Conflict—But His Enemies Crucified Him For It—Relation of Temple Cleansing to Calvary

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS.

This war is a school teacher—carrying a rod. All of us, even the remote jungle dwellers in Africa, are learning new lessons of geography and of history and of inextricable human relations. Our views are being widened, deepened and lengthened. Multitudes are finding out for the first time that history is indeed a chain and that much that is taking place today may be understood only in the light of the long yesterday.

For a concrete and significant illustration we have the story of the angry Christ, cleansing the Temple, and the present profound movement toward the end of imperialism and privileged exploitation.

There is a direct connection between this news from Jerusalem and the latest dispatches from India and Burma. The ancient struggle between oppressors and the oppressed seems to be coming to a climax before our eyes. The cruel and bitter old order, which ground down the poor for the sake of the rich, seems destined to give way to a new era of equal justice and common welfare and good will. Poets, seers and prophets have foreseen this better day.

As Tennyson wrote: "Yet I doubt not through the ages one increasing purpose runs."

And the thoughts of men are widened with the process of the sun."

Up Against Big Business

These are good days in which to contemplate the genuine Jesus, flaming forth in righteous indignation. We have all been too soft and tolerant of ancient abuses. Vast wrongs have existed under the eyes of all of us, and we have done nothing about them. We could call a long roll of weak nations suffering under exploitation. Underprivileged, underfed, underpaid victims of our own complacent economic system have been left in suffering before our eyes. There have been deep wrongs tolerated in our world.

Something of the fiery indignation of Jesus should stir us as we read the reports of the infamous treatment of their captives by the heathen Japanese; of the ghastly death toll in Greece; of the Nazis' treatment of Poles and Czechs and Russians and Jews. That sort of thing must be stopped; and we are at war to stop it.

Sensitive-spirited, with all His divinest impulses astir, Jesus came, on this last Tuesday of His life, upon the familiar scene of trafficking within the confines of the Temple. Zeal for the holy house of God blazed within Him. He knew that he was up against the System which prevailed at the Nation's capital. He was taking on the most powerful foes of His time. At the climax of His career, the Master struck a mighty blow for human rights and for religious purity and against entrenched special privilege. Every genuine movement for social reform since then has been of a piece with Christ's cleansing of the Temple.

When the Gentiles Got Angry

Anybody can get mad at a personal affront or a personal inconvenience; the Christlike grow indignant against wrongs done to others, and against conditions that violate God's law. Good nature is commonly esteemed a virtue; sometimes it is a sin. Henry van Dyke hymned the cause of righteous wrath: "There are many kinds of hate, as many kinds of fire; And some are fierce and fatal, with murderous desire; And some are mean, selfish, slow, They hurt the man that holds them more than they hurt his foe." And yet there is a hatred that purifies the heart, The anger of the better against the baser part, Against the false and wicked, against the tyrant's sword, Against the enemies of love, and all that hate the Lord.

"O cleansing indignation, O flame of righteous wrath, Give me a soul to see thee and follow in thy path! Save me from selfish virtue, arm me for fearless fight, And give me strength to carry on, a soldier of the Right!"

Jesus had no word of reproach, even on the cross, for those who dealt foully with Himself; only prayers for pardon. But His anger flamed forth against the powerful ones who oppressed the people, and made mock of pure religion. If we have never learned when and how to grow angry, we have never fully learned the mind of Christ.

Behind the Scenes

Students of the Bible all agree that the direct and immediate cause of the crucifixion of Christ was the opposition and intrigues of the powerful Temple group whom He had steadfastly opposed.

"The Sunday School Lesson o o for May 10, "Monday: The o o Day of Authority"—Matthew o o 21:12-22

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## Pulitzer Winner



Larry Allen, Associated Press writer, was named as winner of a Pulitzer prize for "his stories of the British Mediterranean fleet, as an accredited correspondent attached to the fleet." Allen wears his British naval correspondent's uniform in this picture.

William T. Vance  
Died in Dallas

DALLAS, May 6.—William Thomas Vance, aged 75 years, died at his home here Tuesday. Funeral services were slated at Burkhardt Thursday afternoon from the Methodist church.

Surviving are his wife, three daughters, a son, Hammatt Vance, highway patrolman, formerly stationed at Corsicana; three sisters and two brothers.

SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS  
One on God's side is a majority.

—Wendell Phillips.

The best generosity is that which is quick.

—Arab Proverb.

I preached as never sure to preach again, and as a dying man to dying men.

—Richard Baxter.

The happiness of your life depends upon the character of your thoughts.

—Marcus Aurelius.

Many waters cannot quench love, neither can the floods drown it.

—The Song of Solomon 8:7.

If any little word of mine  
Can make a life the brighter,  
If any little song of mine  
Can make a heart the lighter,  
God help me speak the little  
word.

And take my life of singing  
And drop it in some lonely vale,  
to set the echoes ringing.

—Anon.

If we abide by the principles taught in the Bible, our country will go on prospering and to prosper; but if we end our prosperity neglect its instructions and authority, no man can tell how sudden a catastrophe may overwhelm us and bury all our glory in profound obscurity.

—Daniel Webster.

Eddie Dorris Weaver  
Weds Lt. Whitaker

Palm Springs, Cal.

Corsican friends have received the following announcement:

"Mrs. Mollie E. Weaver announces the marriage of her daughter, Eddie Dorris, to Lt. Earl J. Whitaker, Saturday, April 26, 1942, Palm Springs, Calif."

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## Jo Ann Seale Was Hostess to Kerens Juvenile Music Club

KERENS, May 6.—(Spl.)—Jo Ann Seale was hostess to members of the Juvenile Music Club on Thursday afternoon at 3:30, entertaining at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Howell Brister, at the auto park, the close of the year's work for the loyal and enthusiastic group of young music lovers, whose performance, observance of rules and perfect attendance record might well serve as inspiration for adult organizations.

In the flower-laden living room the following program was presented:

The Story of Lowell Mason—

Piano Number: "The Blind Men's Anna Lois Bain," Jacqueline Roose, Darrell Mabry, accompanied by Carolyn Price.

Reading of the Club Pledge—

Mary Ann Fite.

Closing Number: "God Bless America"—by all present.

Delicious and daintily appointed refreshments plates were served.

Eaton, Darrell Mabry, Jeanette Cuggina, Mary Ann Fite, Jo Ann Seale, members, and Mrs. Ama Eain, sponsor; Lynette McClung; Ben Brister, the hostess' mother, Mrs. C. M. Seale, and Mrs. Brister, guests.

## Gleaners Class of Kerens Baptist SS In Social Session

KERENS, May 6.—(Spl.)—The Gleaners class of the First Baptist church Sunday school were entertained in monthly social program meeting Wednesday afternoon. Serving as co-hostesses were Mesdames Ellie Burleson, J. N. Stovall, and E. Tekell.

Leader of the day was Mrs. Wade Price, whose subject was "Christian Giving."

Devotional by Mrs. O. B. Bill was found in 1 John 3:13-18.

Prayer by Mrs. A. R. Carroll,

closed the program, after which

a lovely hand bag

## CIVITANS ENJOYED SPECIAL PROGRAM LUNCHEON SESSION

### ONE-ACT PLAY PRESENTED; NAVAL AND AIR CORPS OFFICERS TALKED

Presentation of the prize-winning one-act play, "Antic Spring," by students of the Corsicana High school and an account of a merchant ship-submarine battle by Ensign Frank M. Keathley featured the weekly luncheon session of the Corsicana Civician Club Thursday noon at the Navarro Hotel.

Also highlighting the program was a graphic and interesting description of operational training in the U. S. Army Air Corps by Lieut. Daniel A. Story, who is home on a short furlough. He told of the rigid and exacting training undergone by U. S. Army fliers after they have received their wings.

Selection of officers for the ensuing year featured the business session of the meeting. Frank V. Williams was elected president, succeeding Robert L. Nix. Other officers selected included John Sibley, first vice president; Tom Eddy, second vice president, and Embry Ferguson, secretary-treasurer.

The one-act play was presented under the direction of M. S. Cook, dramatic teacher at the high school. It was selected for the benefit of the Texas Interscholastic League held recently at Waco and later secured second place at the regional contest. Members of the cast included June Panton, Barbara Byrd, Byron Cocke, Bobby Waddell, J. Marvin Voleen and Roy Jordan.

Ensign Tells of Experience.

Ensign Keathley briefly outlined his recent experience in a battle with an axis submarine and survival of a gun crew serving aboard one of the United States merchantmen. He told how his first ship was sunk by two torpedoes from an axis sub and of a subsequent battle between the submarine and his rescue ship.

Ensign Keathley, at the request of the captain of the rescue vessel, manned the deck gun and scored a direct hit on the conning tower of about 2,000 yards.

A special guest of the club, Lieut. Story, who is now piloting a Consolidated 24-D heavy bomber, described in an interesting manner the routine training program now in operation for combat flyers. He pictured the United States Army Air Corps as a powerful, growing arm of the nation's forces and asserted that its effectiveness will make itself known more and more in the future.

Paul Robeson and J. C. Watson had charge of the program. President Robert L. Nix presided.

Guests included Scott Lowry, W. E. McKinney, and W. E. Waddell.

Program committee for the next meeting is composed of Ed Wendorff and H. W. Keathley.

## Glynn G. Steele Of Streetman Now

### Air Corps Sergeant

Glynn G. Steele, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin G. Steele of Streetman, has been promoted from the rank of corporal to sergeant, it was announced today by his commanding officer at Gunter Field, Montgomery, Ala.

Sergeant Steele joined the air corps in June, 1941, and helps keep 'em flying now as an armament gunner at Gunter Field, basic flying school of the vast Southeast Air Corps Training Center, where American and British aviation cadets win their wings.

### Retired General, Cousin Corsicana Woman, Passes Away

Mrs. A. A. Allison has been notified of the death of her cousin, Brigadier General Hubert A. Allen, who passed away Sunday in Portland, Oregon.

Deceased was a native of Independence, Iowa, and was at time stationed in the Philippines and on Corregidor and helped to build the defenses on that island. He was on the Mexican border for a time and served in France during the first World war.



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## Courthouse News

**District Court.**  
The jury for the week was excused Monday by Wayne E. Howell, district judge.

**District Clerk's Office.**  
The following cases were filed: Leo R. Koty Tool Works vs. R. and L. Dilling Company, debt, J. B. Wilson vs. Rosa Lee Wilson, divorce.

**Court.**  
Ann Sharpie, charged with violation of the prohibition laws, entered a plea of guilty Thursday and was fined \$100 and costs by E. D. McCormick, county judge.

A white woman was adjudged of unsound mind Thursday afternoon.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
James F. Stroud and Lola Mae Petty.

**Sheriff's Office.**  
Sheriff Cap Curington revealed Tuesday that three negroes were out on bond awaiting the action of the grand jury in a cattle theft charges. The negroes will be held until investigation is conducted by Navarro, Dallas, Hill and other county officers in recent weeks. The cattle in question were stolen in the Powell community and sold to innocent purchasers in East Texas.

Some cattle stolen several months ago in Hill county later was sold in Ellis and Dallas counties and mostly were located in Navarro county. The cattle, livestock missed in Dallas county later were sold at Hillsboro auctions.

The sheriff said buyers of the livestock in question residing in Navarro county were innocent purchasers. Investigations are still under way by the sheriffs of the affected counties, Curington intimated.

R. S. High, mayor of Blooming Grove, Wednesday reported to the sheriff's office his 1939 Chevrolet two-door sedan was stolen Tuesday day.

The automobile was found stripped near Blooming Grove, county officers reported Wednesday afternoon.

A bicycle belonging to John Osborne at Richland was stolen Tuesday night.

**Constable's Office.**

One man was arrested in connection with the seizure of five pints of whiskey in his automobile Wednesday night by the constable's office. One was placed in jail on a driving a car while intoxicated booking and one was arrested for operating a car without a driver's license, it was reported Thursday.

**County School Board.**

Retiring matters were considered Tuesday at the May session of the Navarro county school board.

**Assignments.**

G. L. Tatum to Pure Oil Company, 110 acres J. W. West survey, \$1 and other considerations.

G. L. Tatum to Pure Oil Company, 151.87 acres E. Donaldson survey, \$1 and other considerations.

G. L. Tatum to Pure Oil Company, 225 acres H. & T. C. Ry. Company, \$1 and other considerations.

G. L. Tatum to Pure Oil Company, 315.6 acres John Sanders, John Toolin, B. B. B. & C. surveys, \$1 and other considerations.

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**Oil and Gas Lease.**

Mary Lucile Loyd et ux to Falcon Company, interest in 115.88 acres Samuel Benton survey, \$19.35.

**Warranty Deed.**

Emil Corenblith to Harry Sigel, 1/2 interest in a part of a tract formerly owned by D. J. Gilbert, \$1 and other considerations.

C. L. Jester et ux to Will Thompson, 150 acres Daniel Sinclair survey, \$10,500.

Charles F. Irvine to F. D. Nutt, 65 acres A. Matthews survey, \$10 and other considerations.

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## INTERNATIONAL

(Continued From Page One) Harbor of Diego Suarez, was captured by night attack last night, a British admiralty-war office communiqué said.

"The French naval and military commanders at Antsiranana have surrendered," the announcement said, and the French resistance at that point collapsed.

In Vichy, the French government insisted that Diego Suarez was still holding out at 1:30 p. m. Vichy time (7:30 a. m. Eastern War Time) and declared the announcement, based on the latest information from Madagascar, was "in answer" to the British report of surrender.

Tank-led British commandos and infantry striking from the south launched the main attack on the key naval base, which commands allied sea lanes to the Middle East, India and China.

Royal Marines allied a naval division to the town to create a narrow channel, the communiqué said.

With the fall of Diego Suarez constitutes a major victory in the British campaign, which started at dawn Tuesday. Considerable further resistance may be expected from the remainder of the island's 5,000,000 French and native population.

Opposition to Continue.

Under orders from France's pro-German Premier Pierre Laval to fight to the end, the island's defenders presumably will offer stiff opposition at Tananarive, the capital, on a plateau in the center of the island, and at Tulear, the site of a big air base, in the southwest.

British headquarters said BEF infantry preceded by naval bombers charged a strong French position, protected by 75-mm field guns and machineguns, a few miles outside Diego Suarez and opened the way for its capture.

A French submarine and a sloop were reported sunk in Diego Suarez harbor during the final attack.

In London, Prime Minister Churchill told parliament that a protocol was being drawn up between the opposing commanders and that the British fleet was expected to enter Diego Suarez harbor about 8:30 p. m.

**Losses Heavy**

Churchill said losses in the opening assault on French positions Tuesday night have exceeded 1,000 men.

"We trust the French nation will in time come to regard this episode as a recognizable step in the liberation of their country, including Alsace-Lorraine, from the German yoke," Churchill asserted.

While Britain thus swiftly demonstrated the rise of her offensive striking power on Madagascar, the Italian high command indicated that other British assault forces were active in the Mediterranean. "An enemy raid which was attempted against the island of Kupino, south of Crete, was promptly repulsed by our garrison there," an Italian communiqué said tersely.

Presumably the attack was carried out by sea-borne British troops. Kupho lies five miles off the southeast tip of Crete, which German parachutists captured from the British after the fall of Greece last year. It is about 250 miles from the nearest point on the North African coast.

**Commandos Ready.**

Recent dispatches have reported that British commandos, including Prime Minister Churchill's son Randolph, were being trained in North Africa for such raids.

In the air Pacific Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters reported briefly that increased Japanese naval activity had been observed in the waters around New Britain, perhaps signalling a new southward thrust against Australia's life-lines or against the "down under" commonwealth itself.

The 100-mile waterway between New Britain and New Guinea would be the natural gateway for a Japanese sea-borne attack against Australia's east coast.

Military observers pointed out that with the fall of Corregidor, large numbers of Japanese troops and equipment have now been released from the island, and they recalled that so far in the war the Japanese have been swift to strike in a new direction after each success.

Activity by Japanese warships was also reported near Bougainville in the Solomon Islands, 300 miles east of New Britain.

**On Burma Front.**

On the Burma war front, Chinese military dispatches acknowledged that Japan's invasion armada, pushing up the Burma road had driven almost 25 miles into China proper after capturing the Chinese town of Wanting on the China-Burma frontier.

Bitter fighting was reported ragging as the American Lieut.-Gen.

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Joseph W. Stillwell's outnumbered Chinese troops sought to stem the Japanese tide sweeping through China's back door.

On the right flank, Gen. Harold Alexander's weary British troops were reported still falling back toward India.

Other developments in the world-wide picture included:

Russian dispatches reported that the Red armies, attacking across huge in an important sector west of long-besieged Leningrad, had captured a junction point which the Germans had held all winter, and thus had cut the road between the northern and southern wings of the German siege armies.

**German Claims.**

Hitler's field headquarters said heavy wounded had been inflicted on the Russians in violent fighting in the north and reported a "full on large sections of the front" elsewhere.

On the North African battlefield an Italian communiqué announced that British armored forces had advanced to a point east of El Mechill—one of the deepest British thrusts to the west since their retreat last February.

The communiqué said the British had been driven back under heavy artillery fire.

El Mechill is about 120 miles west of Tobruk.

In aerial warfare, British bombers attacked the big German industrial city of Stuttgart for the third successive night and streaked across the clouds again by daylight to pound the German-held French "invasion coast."

German attacks on England were light.

**Pilot Rescued After 12 Days.**

MELBOURNE, May 7.—(AP)—A Royal Australian Air Force pilot is recovering in a hospital today after spending 12 days without food on a rocky barrier reef where he sought refuge when his plane crashed in the sea.

The pilot gained the reef by swimming seven miles through shark-infested waters while clinging to an air cushion. Three companions drowned.

The lone survivor was without water until the fourth day on the reef, when rain filled small depressions in the rocks. He finally was spotted by another plane which sent assistance.

**Nazi Sink 20 Ships.**

BERLIN (From German Broadcasts), May 7.—(AP)—DNB quoted a special announcement today from Adolf Hitler's headquarters that German U-boats have sunk 20 enemy merchant ships off the east coast of North America and in the Caribbean Sea.

The ships were said to total 138,000 tons. The length of time covered by the sinkings was not specified.

**British Cruiser Lost.**

London, May 7.—(AP)—The cruiser Edinburgh has been lost in a battle with German forces in the Arctic, the admiralty announced today.

**New Type Nazi Fighter Plane.**

BERLIN (From German Broadcasts), May 7.—(AP)—DNB said today a revolutionary type symmetrical aircraft was being built in the Blohm and Voss shipyards with the engine in the starboard wing and closed observation turret for a three-man crew in the port wing.

Equipped with cannon and machine-guns, it was claimed to have great speed, climbing power and maneuverability, DNB said.

**RAF Blasts Stuttgart Again.**

LONDON, May 7.—(AP)—British bombers in considerable force last night attacked Stuttgart, manufacturing center and other targets in southern Germany, for the third successive night, it was announced today.

## CORREGIDOR

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"58th Coast Artillery 1,220;  
"6th Coast Artillery, anti-aircraft  
1,704;  
"803rd Engineer Battalion Aviation  
1,635;  
"803rd Ordnance Company, Air  
Base 52;  
"91st Coast Artillery (PA) 706;  
"92nd Coast Artillery (PA) 487;  
"Navy Personnel 2,275;  
"4th Marines 1,570;  
"1st Coast Artillery (PA) 810;  
"2nd Coast Artillery (PA) 208;  
"Philippine Army Air Corps 728;  
"Casuals 1,269;  
"Total 11,574;

"No communication has been received from the Philippines by the War Department since early in the morning of May 6. It is presumed that all persons on the four fortifications are now prisoners of war."

"The Japanese government has announced that it intends to follow the provisions of the Geneva convention in its treatment of prisoners of war. This convention provides for exchange of lists of prisoners of war. As soon as any list of prisoners is received from Japan, through neutral countries or through the International Red Cross, it will be made public by the War Department.

"There is nothing to report from other areas."

Patterson said that "the defense of Corregidor and the defense of Batavia was a most gallant exploit in American history." He added:

**Other Historic Defenses.**

"It compares with the defense of Charleston in the Revolution in 1780, when the defending forces finally had to yield to greatly superior numbers and with the defense of Petersburg by Lee's army in 1864.

"Our information is that fire from the heavy guns placed by the Japanese on Bataan Peninsula was the factor that forced the surrender. It was heavy, incessant, and knocked out the defenders. It probably had more effect than any bombing from the air."

Patterson said the War Department had received a vast number of inquiries from relatives and friends of men in the Philippines, and that as soon as it received any information on casualties in the Philippines, or received the names of men taken prisoner by the Japanese, the families of the men would be notified immediately by telegram. It was impossible, because of the strain on military communication facilities, he said, to send inquiries concerning individuals in any combat area.

"The best attitude to take is that no news is good news, and that is not just a psychological attitude," Patterson said.

## MADAGASCAR

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at Ambarite Bay to the south. Diplomatic circles here were watching Vichy closely for retaliatory action by the Pierre Laval government.

See French said this might take the form of some naval aid to the axis, probably the allocation of French cruisers and destroyers to the German fleet.

Informed British diplomatic sources expressed doubt whether the French fleet "would fight with or for the Germans."

Prime Minister Churchill praised the gallantry of the French and expressed regret that blood had been shed.

**Liberation Step.**

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British infantry preceded by naval bombers charged a strong French position—protected by 75-mm field

guns and machine-guns—a few miles outside Diego Suarez and opened the way for its capture.

The French batteries and machine-guns were pulverized by British bombs and shell-fire while the British were able to

French coastal batteries on Oranjia peninsula, which juts upward from the south to command approaches from the Indian Ocean are now being attacked by the British from the rear, British here believe.

Protocol Being Drawn Up  
LONDON, May 7.—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill told the House of Commons today that a protocol was being drawn up between the commanders in Madagascar and the British fleet was expected to enter Diego Suarez harbor about 3:30 p. m.

**Vichy Denies Fall.**

VICHY, Uncoupled France, May 7.—(AP)—An announcement that Diego Suarez, main stronghold on French Madagascar, still was holding out at 1:30 p. m., Vichy time (6:30 a. m. CWT) was issued here today.

It was insisted that this was based on the latest information from Madagascar and was issued "in answer to a report" (presumably the British announcement) that the naval base had surrendered.

It was said there were no details beyond the statement that fighting was continuing.

## TAXES

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part, during operations which have expanded with improved weather. Soviet reports said 1,650 Germans were killed in three villages.

Despite spring floods and the absence of roads in some sectors the Russians were reported to be pressing repeated attacks and inflicting heavy losses in men and material on the Germans.

The exact location of the sector west of Leningrad and the size of the encircled German detachment were not given, but the action appeared to be one of the most extensive of recent sharp local engagements on the Leningrad front.

**Soviet Cavalry Attack.**

Soviet cavalry attacking on the front of German forces endeavoring to consolidate on the Kalinin front northwest of Moscow occupied nine villages and killed 936 men, reports said.

In the Bryansk sector 210 miles southwest of Moscow, guerrillas have liberated 25 villages and forced the 200th Hungarian division to make a deep withdrawal after seven days of fighting, it was said.

Some of the hottest fighting on the whole front was reported to have been under way in the Lake Ilmen section south of Leningrad for almost a month.

Dispatches from this area described German losses as "really colossal," and some reports estimated that the German casualties had averaged 1,000 a day.

The Germans were said to have put parachutists into action repeatedly and without success on this front. The Russians said

## RUSSIA

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Morgenthau took occasion in the letter to emphasize again the need of expanding the social security program and of increasing taxes for that purpose by about \$2,000,000,000 a year and expressed the hope that the committee would proceed as soon as possible after completing a tax bill to consider that question.

In presenting the administration's program to the committee March 3, Morgenthau said a further lowering of the personal exemptions would yield "a relatively insignificant amount of revenue from the earners of very low incomes."

He said then, however, that if he believed that expenditures of that group added materially to the anger of inflation, he would not hesitate to recommend lower exemptions "in spite of the small amount of revenue that would be produced."

Nazi mass attacks were met with a withering artillery fire at point blank range.

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## COUNTY NEWS

## Navarro

NAVARRO, May 7.—(Spl.)—Mrs. T. F. Westbrook spent last week in Wickett with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Maxwell of Sweeny were week end visitors here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Jones.

Mrs. Mabel Boltz of Corsicana visited in the W. B. Turn home, and with other friends, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Horn, baby daughter and Mrs. E. E. Horn are on their vacation in the Valley and other places this week.

Miss Dorothy Harvard, senior in Teachers College, Denton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Harvard, and Lena Rose.

Mrs. Oliver Forbes of Bresco, Ill., is spending several days with relatives here, in Houston and Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Knight of Crane, Mrs. Grace Westmoreland and Miss Eugenie Knight of Dallas were week end visitors with their mother and other relatives.

Ruby Harvard Collins, with her two sons and daughter of Gainesville, spent Saturday and Sunday with the Harvard relatives.

Mrs. Sam Stroder and son of Wink returned home Monday after visiting her mother, B. Marsh, and other relatives.

Mrs. Sammy Howell and two children of Rural Shade visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Turn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robinson of Dallas visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion White, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Collins of Griffin, Ind., visited homefolks in the Grady Collins home last week.

Vincent Bottoms and Alva Scruggs are in Dallas this week serving as federal jurors.

Mrs. V. T. Clegg and son of Bakersfield, Calif., spent last week here with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Collins.

Mrs. Sam Harvard, Mrs. Afton Smith, Mrs. Kate Moore and Sammy Harvard were in New London recently visiting their relatives.

F. W. Wigginton of Mineral Wells came home Sunday for a few days' stay.

Mrs. Shorty Boat of New London spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Arthur Ferguson, who is confined to her bed.

## Richland

RICHLAND, May 7.—(Spl.)—The past week has been a wet one and we were glad to see a little sun.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edgar of Wink were the guests of home folks recently.

Mrs. Will Cunningham, visited sick folks in Fairfield last week.

Mrs. J. W. Garland and Mrs. Hugh Garland were Corsicana visitors Wednesday of last week. Mrs. B. L. Kollman was also a visitor in Corsicana Wednesday.

Mr. Kollman has sold the Red and White store to Mr. Inman.

Bill Ward, who is working near Galveston was at home Saturday.

Several out of town guests were here Friday attending the wedding of Miss Handon and Mr. Stoltz.

Miss Mary Outlaw of Port Arthur and Miss Eris Otto of Houston, who were here to attend the wedding Friday night, were in an automobile wreck near Currie Saturday and are both in the hospital in Corsicana. Their mothers came up Monday to be with them.

Mrs. Hugh Garland and sons, Raymond Louis and Glynn Earl, of Almond, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garland and Jogene of Richland, Miss., and Jogene of Miss Suele Huffman and Miss Nancy Mize of Corsicana, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garland, Jr., on the farm near Corsicana Sunday for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gregory and family of Mississippi are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Anglin and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harlin and baby of Lingview were guests of Will Harlin and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Griffin the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Starke, Chiam and little son were the week end guests of relatives in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Griffin were guests of relatives in Jewett Sunday afternoon.

"Grandma" Harlin has been quite ill in the past week. She is slightly improved.

Accident Proves Fatal.

COLEMAN, May 7.—(P)—Funeral services were held yesterday for Raymond A. Billings, 35, farmer who walked half a mile for help after a tractor with which he was plowing turned over on him. He died several hours later of head injuries.

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## Blooming Grove

BLOOMING GROVE, May 7.—(Spl.)—Ralph Dewitt of Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Ala., spent Saturday and Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Ruby McSpadden.

Rev. M. B. Howell and family are spending several days this week with his mother in Oklahoma.

Miss Frances Huffstutter of Strawn spent this week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Huffstutter.

Mrs. Smith of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bowman of Frost were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ed Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Wash Pierce of Goose Creek visited Mr. and Mrs. Seth Grant Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Glenn of Waxahachie visited his mother, Mrs. A. A. Glenn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirksey Barnes and Mrs. E. V. Spikes were in Dallas Wednesday to attend the funeral of Joe Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Davis of Dorchester spent Sunday night with her father, E. L. Carroll.

Jay Sewell, Jr., of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, is here this week with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sewell.

Miss Jo Frances Fitzgerald of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fitzgerald.

Miss Lella and Cora George and Miss Lena Tillman of Dallas were at home for the week end.

## Frost

FROST, May 7.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. George L. Parker of Tucson, Ariz., is enjoying a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Page of State Orphans Home, Corsicana, and his sister, Miss Geneva Page of Blooming Grove.

Miss Jo Frances Fitzgerald of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fitzgerald.

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## THE WAR TODAY

(Continued From Page One) that their mission is to bear sons to wage war for Germany.

## Child Training.

This amazing regimentation has been achieved through officialdom getting hold of the little children and forcing their minds into the Hitlerian channel without permitting any outside influences to interfere. This scheme of monopolizing the young mind is one of the reasons for Hitler's war on the churches, which have fought to keep from surrendering all training of the children to him.

With the young folk thus regimented, such discontent as there may be—and there is small doubt that it exists—is mainly among the older people who have submitted to the Nazi chief's rule but haven't become Hitlerized.

We must assume, however, that it will take much to shake the loyalty of young Germany as a whole in Hitler's leadership. It might come in time, but it would be a mistake to look for it now.

And when the war is over and the Allies have won—as they will—they will encounter the hold-over of this spirit of Hitlerism among the younger people of the Free World.

As Mrs. Roosevelt indicated, it will take long to teach them that they have been worshipping false gods.

## BARRY

BARRY, May 7.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Reed and James D. Ragsdale attended the baccalaureate services of the Bullard High school Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Egg of California visited her father, W. M. Watson last week.

Miss Julia Patrick of Canton spent last week with Mrs. Mary Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ragsdale of Corsicana were here Sunday.

Jim Parker, who is working at Bastrop, spent the week end with his family.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. McCarty and children of Lubbock spent several days here last week.

Tom Larkins spent the week end with relatives at Paris.

Buster Grinnell has returned to camp in Florida after spending a 10-day furlough with his parents.

Mrs. T. J. Castellaw went to San Antonio Saturday for a visit with relatives there.

Miss Louise Knight spent the week end with her parents at Denton.

## Tupelo

TUPELO, May 7.—(Spl.)—Monday is the day that farmers could get in their fields to work, when they began looking where to hit first, so real work began.

Four teachers came here from Rice school Monday and held the registration for the sugar rationing.

The ladies of the community continue doing sewing and knitting for the Red Cross.

Rev. E. M. Dailey is teaching in course in Bible study in the church here, which will be a help to all who attend.

Mrs. M. A. Riley of Wortham is visiting her son, A. H. Jones and family.

Joe Pickering and daughter, Miss Emma Joe of Corsicana visited Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Burdine Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Monts of Corsicana spent a part of last week with M. C. Burdine and wife.

Miss Merle Calhoun went to Paris Saturday to accept a position.

Josh Bason of Dallas spent the week with family.

## Angus

ANGUS, May 7.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Wulford of Tyler, Mrs. Homer Harris and Miss Marie Bomer of Corsicana and Mr. and Mrs. J. Ramsey of Forney visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Conant Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Reed and daughter, Lola, spent Sunday in Dallas with their son and brother, Charley Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moseley and son of Purdon visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Thorne recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Harris and daughter, Bobbie, and Mrs. Elmer Lockwood and daughter, Annette, of Fort Worth spent the week end with relatives.

D. H. Northern spent the week end with homfolks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Knotts had as their guests Sunday their son, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Knotts and family.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Dillard and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis and son of Trumbull visited relatives Thursday night and Friday.

## Pickett

PICKETT, May 7.—(Spl.)—Miss Wanda Sue Mahoney of Ennis spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Eleanor Joyce Martin.

Private Grady McKey of Palestine spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McKey.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto McLaughlin spent the week end at Eastacado visiting Mrs. McLaughlin's mother.

Roy E. Story of Camp Polk, La., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Story.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Tramey of Buffalo visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben McGee during the week end.

Jerrill Owens spent the night in Corsicana with his brother, Robert Owens.

Dan and Betty Ruth Story visited Mrs. D. O. Rogers in Corsicana Saturday.

## SHIPS SUNK

(Continued From Page One) the following enemy vessels: One medium sized cargo ship, one medium sized tanker and one small cargo ship.

"4. The above actions have not been announced in any previous Navy department communiqué.

"5. There is nothing to report from other areas."

## CHINESE

(Continued From Page One) a campaign to knock free China out of the war.

(In Tokyo the Domei quoted officials as declaring that the chief objective of the Burma campaign was to force the Chinese to submit to Japanese rule.

Alfred H. H. Alred, not announced his speaking tactics.

He can hold his own in any media, however. Sleeves rolled up, a lock of unduly hair bobbing play, he can make his listeners forget summer heat.

Tired Being Pushed Around.

Johnson told reporters he was satisfied there were sufficient legal authority now for the government to take over any equipment needed in the war program, and he saw no necessity of new legislation.

"I'm getting tired of unnecessarily pushing people around to satisfy the egotism of some bureaucrats," the Colorado senator declared.

"The American people are anxious to make any sacrifices essential to the war effort, but they are getting tired of being pushed around."

With somewhat the same attitude Senator Taft (R-Ohio) said he believed the objective could be accomplished by voluntary appeals to motorists to sell to the government any unneeded tires they had and to exercise care with those on their cars.

Henderson and the other government officials were reported to have told committee members the shortage was so acute that within a year there would be no new rubber for any civilian, regardless of priorities. Nor would any synthetic rubber be available for other than military use.

The first Steadham Quits Race.

AUSTIN, May 7.—(P)—Joe Steadham, state legislative representative for the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, today withdrew from the race in the U. S. senate race.

"Finding that my employment will not permit sufficient time for me to make a campaign, and because of the lack of sufficient funds to employ radio time, I am, therefore, withdrawing from the campaign," Steadham declared in a formal statement.

"Besides," he added verbally, "what chance would a railroad workman have against three former governors?"

Morning newspapers carried full-page advertisements warning the public that work not words, would stop the Japanese.

The same theme will be featured in broadcasts, posters and additional advertisements a government spokesman said.

Report India Invaded.

BERLIN (From German Broadcasts)—May 7.—(P)—The Tokyo radio said today that Japanese forces from Burma had crossed the Indian border west of Paletwa and penetrated to 62 miles from Chittagong.

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CORSICANA, TEX., MAY 8, 1942

**THIS IS WAR**

The proud British people have eaten bitter bread since a year ago last September. But it's a long way now from the Dunkirk of June, 1940. After that catastrophe Britain was left naked to her enemies, all her war equipment lost, her air force shattered, hardly anything left but her bare hands, her pride and her will to live. It was the worst plight in her modern history.

It is a long road of recovery that the British have covered since those bitter days. But Britain is now herself again, and stronger than ever for her resurrection. Winston Churchill's patience is justified. The turning of the road has come. We can read the current record of it now in every day's news.

It is British war planes, not German, that fill the air now and carry destruction and death across the Channel. British planes blast the harbors and munition works and airplane factories of continental countries that are captive to Hitler's war machine. And now at last they carry the war into Germany itself, in greater power than the Nazis ever spent on England. They raid across the narrow Channel almost at will, while the captive population cheer them on.

Meanwhile Russia miraculously holds a great German army in the East, and America, with power rising week by week, pours men and munitions across the sea to help. Retribution is at work, and the Big Push is beginning, the push that may win even this year, but early or late will win certainly and completely.

**EVEN THE CONQUERED HELP**

The war started with Germany's invasion of Poland. Most of us think that the Poles collapsed almost without fighting, so overwhelming was the German superiority. Stefan Kleczkowski, an exiled Polish patriot, has just pointed out that that does not state the case correctly. Poland held out for five weeks against Hitler. France did not do so well. The Dutch lasted less than a week. These failures show that the Poles did better than anyone had a right to expect.

They did more than that. They threw Germany off her schedule. By throwing in 39 divisions of infantry, cavalry, air force and motorized units, Poland blunted the first thrust of the German attack, causing Hitler serious losses in manpower and equipment. These gave France and England eight months to prepare for their turn. France wasted a golden opportunity. England put it to use. The English resistance in the famous Battle of Britain in September, 1940, would never have succeeded without the time for preparation that Poland made possible.

Supposing the Poles had not fought, had let Hitler have his way without fighting as he did in Australia and Czechoslovakia. They would have been destroyed just the same. Their armies and equipment would have become Germany's war booty and would have been used against France and England, just as Rumania's forces are now being used against Russia. Polish resistance spoiled all this.

In the last war Belgian

language is a funny thing. To tell a man "You are working like mischief" is not at all the same thing as to say, "Like mischief, you're working."

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**"KISS OF DEATH"****REORGANIZATION OF  
SOIL CONSERVATION  
SERVICE ANNOUNCED**

WASHINGTON, May 5.—(AP)—Reorganization of the soil conservation service to give farmers and ranchers more help with war time production and conservation was announced today by the agriculture department.

The reorganization involves the closing of four major headquarters, establishment of one new regional office, consolidation of two regions, discontinuance of 79 field offices and reduction in personnel at the remaining offices, including Washington.

Officials said this would permit the release of skilled technical employees from those offices to work directly with farmers and farm groups in the field.

Regional offices to be closed include Amarillo, Texas.

Kansas will be shifted from the southern plains region, (Amarillo) to the northern plains region, with headquarters remaining at Lincoln, Neb., the eastern portions of Colorado and New Mexico will be added to the southwest region, with headquarters remaining at Albuquerque, N.M., and the Panhandle areas of Oklahoma and Texas will be made a part of the Western Gulf Region, with headquarters remaining at Fort Worth, Texas.

It is the part of wisdom, to use the car. Most drivers know roughly how much gas they use in a year, how many miles they usually drive. If they think first before jumping in and rushing off, they will find they can get along on half that mileage. If they cut the speed down by a fourth, they will save more things than gas. They will conserve tires, road-surfaces and their own nervous systems.

There will be some gas, even in the East. Tires used, not abused, may hold out the three or four years necessary before synthetic rubber comes.

The car is a creature intended for motion; inaction is bad for it. Speed and abuse must go for the present. Moderate use will keep it in condition.

**TIRE TIME**

The latest authoritative comment on the great tire problem comes from John W. Thomas, chairman of the Firestone board, who says: "It is the duty of every American to act upon the assumption that his present tires must last him for the duration."

If that's true, the Land of the Free and Home of the Brave is full of slackers. Most of the cars on the road seem to be going as fast as ever. You might think, from general observation, that instead of the tires lasting for the war's duration, the drivers expected the duration to accommodate itself to the tires.

Pvt. John M. Miller Returns to Florida After Furlough Home

Pvt. John M. Miller, of Camp Blanding, Florida, 165th Field Artillery, returned to Camp Sunday night after spending 10 days at home with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Miller at 1912 West First Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller also had

all of their children and grand-

children. A pleasant day was spent by the family group.

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At East Texas

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**County to Get  
\$10,400 WPA Aid  
Damaged Roads**

SAN ANTONIO, May 5.—(AP)—Authorization for expenditure of \$10,400 for repair work on flood-damaged roads in Navarro county was announced today by E. A. Baugh, state operations officer for WPA.

The authorization, sent to W. H. Baugher, district manager for WPA at Waco, is for use in the repairing of damage to bridges, bridge approaches and roads on school and mail routes. Between 200 and 300 workers are expected to be employed, it was announced.

Navarro county commissioners conferred with a representative of the Waco WPA office Friday and Saturday drew up a formal application for the project.

WPA furnishes the labor while the county provides the material, machinery and transportation for the labor. It was indicated the work would be principally on abutments, approaches and bridges in the county damaged by the weeks' or rains and high waters.

Members of the court could not be contacted early Tuesday afternoon relative to this proposition.

Rosa Mae Sherrard Weds Emory Speir In Dallas April 25

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Allmon, 1428 West First avenue, announce the marriage of their daughter Miss Rosa Mae Sherrard of Dallas, to Emory Speir, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Speir, 300 West Linden street, Ennis.

Joan Carswell, University sophomore from Corsicana, and Ens. Edie Wilbur Cox were married April 29 at the University Methodist Church.

"Cox, who received a Bachelor of Journalism degree from the University in 1941, is an ensign in the United States Navy. He is stationed at the Naval Air Station in Corpus Christi, where the couple will make their home.

The wedding took place Saturday, April 25, 1942, in Dallas at the home of the Rev. C. Wade Freeman who officiated. Only close friends attended.

Mrs. Speir is a 1941 graduate of Corsicana High school. Mr. Speir is a graduate of Ennis High school. The couple will reside at 1314 Barry, Dallas.

Fifty Years Ago. The following item appeared Tuesday in the "Fifty Years Ago" feature of the Dallas News:

Corsicana, A. T. Henry of Blooming Grove announced as a candidate for the state legislature from this district, to occupy the seat heretofore held by the Hon. George T. Jester.

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**APPLICATIONS FOR  
DRIVERS LICENSES  
SHOULD BE MADE**

AUSTIN, May 4.—(Special)—Nine hundred thousand Texas drivers' licenses have been issued under the new drivers' license law since last Oct. 1, State Police Director Homer Garrison announced today. This is considerably less than half the 2,250,000 licenses which are expected to be issued by the end of September, Garrison said, warning that an unmanageable rush will occur late in the summer unless the rate of applications is speeded up immediately.

"The Drivers' License Division is issuing only 160,000 licenses a month now, and is prepared to give rapid service," Garrison said. "If the applications continue to come in at their present rate, the number of applications each month will have to jump to 250,000 or 300,000 in July, August and September to meet the demand."

Applications now are being accepted from any holder of an operator's license regardless of its serial number.

**Successful Growing  
Of Hubam Clover**

E. L. Watson of Barry, who is cooperating with the Navarro-Hill Soil Conservation District, has been successfully growing Hubam Clover on his farm for the past three years.

This annual white sweet clover is soil conserving, soil building, may be used for temporary pasture, and produces cash crop in its hay and seed. It can be interplanted in small grain in February and March without interfering with the harvesting of the grain crop.

Mr. Watson has been planting it in strips thirty-six feet wide along the terrace lines to enable him to build the terraces in the summer without disturbing his late maturing crops. He finds it checks the flow of water down the slope and filters out valuable topsoil. During one heavy rain, soil deposits in the upper half of the strips were one to six inches deep.

Illustrating the soil-building qualities of Hubam, he states that a very conservative estimate on the increase of his cotton would be fifty pounds of lint per acre, and twenty to thirty bushels of oats per acre. Cotton following Hubam was much greener and more thrifty than that on land where cotton followed cotton. There was very little root rot where cotton followed Hubam, as compared to quite a bit of root rot where cotton followed cotton. The decrease in amount of root rot is attributed to Hubam since the root rot was previously scattered rather uniformly over the field.

David Yates Now  
Stationed Kirtland  
Field, Albuquerque

Private David Yates, native of Dallas and connected with local theatres for many years, is now stationed at Kirtland Field, Albuquerque, N. M., as a member of a recruit and casual detachment in the U. S. air corps (ground crew), according to information received by local friends.

**Received Wings**

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She is survived by her parents, one sister, and two brothers.

Funeral arrangements have not been made.

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To buy a new Farmall on rubber—who will be the lucky man?

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If you need a truck or pickup we have a few to sell. They are in good condition and worth what we ask.

Have you hauled in that scrap iron? Uncle Sam needs in the worse way every little helps. Much more than you might think.

See us for your needs. We are here to serve you and take pleasure in doing it.

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Young Men**

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That broken metal article need not be replaced, but for a very small sum it can be repaired and made as good as new. Send it to us!

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AUTO PARTS  
TRACTOR PARTS**

We can come to your farm or business anytime—day or night.

**PATTERSON SAYS  
RUBBER SHORTAGE  
EXTREMELY ACUTE**

**SUNDAY TRIPS, VISITS AND  
PETTING PARTIES MAY HAVE  
TO BE STOPPED**

WASHINGTON, May 7.—(P)—Undersecretary Robert P. Patterson of the war department said today that the rubber shortage was "so acute" that the time had come to stop "Sunday trips, visits to Cousin Joe and petting parties." At a press conference Patterson predicted that the need for conserving "a million tons of rubber now rolling on the highways" would demand curtailment of sports events.

Patterson said present government plans contemplated voluntary purchase of extra tires held by the public, but not the requisitioning of the fifth, or spare, tire on a private motor car.

As for vacations, Patterson said the forthcoming rationing of gasoline would go a long way toward taking care of that question.

"There is no question of the seriousness of our present rubber situation if present driving habits continue," Patterson said. "Wasteful practices of the past must soon become only a memory."

"The time may come when some workers in the war plants will have to have the benefit of tires now in use on private cars."

Patterson and six other government officials yesterday told the Senate military affairs committee that legislation to authorize government requisition of automobiles, tires, or parts should be enacted speedily. The committee will consider the measure Saturday.

The undersecretary noted that 98 per cent of the nation's normal supplies of crude rubber came from the Far East and were now cut off. He said that while we have a substantial stockpile, military requirements had risen steadily as the scope of the conflict broadened.

**Bridger Family  
Has Returned From  
Houston Reunion**

Mrs. Emma Bridger and daughters, Emma Jene and Lillian, returned Monday evening from Houston, where they had been attending the annual family reunion of the Boswell family, and the observance of Mrs. M. V. Boswell's 70th birthday, which was May 4.

Mrs. Bridger and daughters accompanied her brother and his family, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Boswell, Marlene and Barbara, of Purcell, Okla., to Houston for the reunion, which was held this year in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boswell in the Airline Farms community, near Houston.

Sunday's dinner was held on the lawn and was served from a large banquet table which seated the 34 members that were present.

A most pleasant and enjoyable time was had by all and the only regret of anyone was that they could not stay longer.

**Reunion Attendants.**

Those in attendance are as follows: Mrs. M. V. Boswell, the mother, of Lubbock, and the following children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren: Will, Penzance, Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Boswell and children, Barbara and Marlene, of Purcell, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boswell, and sons, Sonny and Johnnie, of Houston; Mrs. E. L. Bridger, and children, Ernest Sneed, Emma Jene and Lillian, of Corsicana; Mrs. J. J. McGow and daughter, Helen of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bellah and Myrtle, Virgle, Roy, James and Charles of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. William Bellah and Katherine, also Corpus Christi; and Mr. Clyde Boswell, and Mary, of Lake Charles, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Boswell and Connie, of Baytown; Opal Shelton and Milton Campbell of Corsicana.

There were two different sets of the fourth generation present and every member of the family are looking forward to the next reunion and a most enjoyable time.

**Californians Leave  
For Home Following  
Visit in Richland**

Mrs. Hugh W. Garland and sons, Raymond Louis and Glynnie Earl, who have been visiting relatives in Richland the past two weeks left Monday afternoon for their home in Alhambra, Calif. They will arrive home on Dr. and Mrs. Garland's wedding anniversary.

**Lost Something? Try a Daily  
Sun Want Ad.**

**SWEET-TOOTHED TOTS EAT SUGAR RATION BOOKS**



It was bound to happen somewhere. Steve, 1, and Judy, 2, ate the ration books of their mother, Mrs. Hart Colvert at Oklahoma City. The county rationing board averted a Colvert sugar famine, furnishing replacements. Mrs. Colvert watched the new ration book warily as the children posed for this picture.

**TWO CONDEMNED MEN  
DENIED RELIEF BY  
BOARD OF PARDONS**

AUSTIN, May 7.—(P)—James B. Alford, scheduled to die in the electric chair after midnight Thursday, and Emeliano Benavidez, sentenced to be executed May 10, were denied commutation of sentences yesterday by the board of pardons and paroles.

Both applications were rejected after careful consideration of the records, said Board Member T. C. Andrews, who did not amplify the statement. "Without the board's recommendation," Gov. Coke Stevenson cannot grant a reprieve.

Alford was convicted of the henchman slaying of R. L. Agnew, San Antonio salesman. He was given stays of 10, 19 and 22 days, the latter two in order to complete a sanity hearing, in which he was found sane.

Benavidez, given a 30-day stay of execution, was convicted of slaying Henry Calcote, Schleicher county rancher. The Mexican government sought clemency for Benavidez.

**MORE RESTRICTIONS  
ON USE OF COPPER,  
BRASS AND BRONZE**

WASHINGTON, May 7.—(P)—The war production board today prohibited the use of copper, brass or bronze after May 31 in more than 100 additional civilian commodities—including pins, Christmas tree bulbs, Neon and fluorescent lighting for advertising signs, musical instruments, cooking utensils, and electric razors.

The drastic order, emphasizing the gravity of the copper supply situation, meant a complete stoppage of production for many of the remaining commodities on the list for which no copper substitutes have been found.

WPB predicted the greatest location resulting from the ban would be a lack of pins. About one-third of all household pins produced in 1940 and 1941 were made of brass and the remainder of steel; production of steel pins has not been stopped but the production rate is limited.

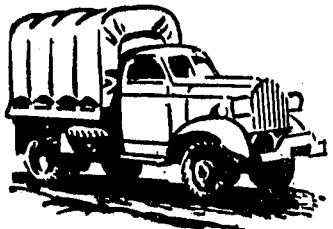
**Workers to Hear of Product.**

SEATTLE, May 7.—(P)—Work will be recessed briefly this afternoon at the Boeing Aircraft plant to allow employees to hear a company pilot who put one of their four-motored products through one of the most famed aerial exploits of the war.

The speaker will be Capt. Hewitt T. Wheless. He is the Texan whom President Roosevelt extolled in his recent radio talk to the nation, for bringing one of the Boeing flying fortresses through a 75-mile fight with Japanese planes with his bomber riddled.

**What You Buy With  
WAR BONDS**

United States army trucks resemble the prairie schooners of our pioneers for utility, not for sentiment. These motorized covered wagons get where they are going with men and supplies.



The 2 1/2 ton truck costs about \$2,000 or slightly more than the purchase value of 100 of the \$18.75 War Savings Bonds. We need thousands of these trucks. You can help pay for them by buying U. S. War Savings Bonds every day. Help swell the War Bond quota in your county.

**NEEDS OF CHILDREN  
STRESSED IN FINAL  
SESSIONS OF PTA**

By WILLIAM T. RIVES  
SAN ANTONIO, May 7.—(P)—Military victory will be "spiritual defeat" if the needs of children are forgotten in the world struggle," the National Congress of Parents and Teachers was told today in a report by its findings committee.

The committee asserted "children are the greatest resource of the nation, our hope and our salvation."

Parent-Teacher Associations throughout the country are guided by the ideals and suggestions expressed in findings adopted at the National Congress' convention.

The committee report was the most important business submitted at the final session.

Since isolationism, the report suggested, "we must realize that we never can dissociate ourselves from anything that goes on anywhere in the world."

"There must be understanding between peoples, between nations, between groups. Friendship with our good neighbors of the western hemisphere and with our neighbors on the other side of the tracks must be real."

Parents, the report said, "should prepare themselves to guard the well-being of their families through classes in home nursing and first aid."

Efforts to "eliminate commercialized vice and prostitution" must be made because "venerable diseases is a threat to the well-being of youth, the efficiency of the fighting forces and the future of the race," the convention was told.

Other points stressed in the report were opposition to "any curtailment of educational opportunity," a request that federal school aid be furnished poor communities; a "nationwide plan for identification and registration of children," and guarding of child labor standards.

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**WET WEATHER HAS  
DELAYED PLANTING  
COTTON, PEANUTS**

GROWING CROPS, HOWEVER,  
CONTINUED TO MAKE EXCEL-  
LENT PROGRESS IN TEXAS

AUSTIN, May 7.—(P)—Wet weather delayed planting of cotton and peanuts in the week ending May 3, but growing crops continued to make good progress, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. department of agriculture, reported today.

Field work in much of the state made only slight progress.

In the high plains conditions were excellent, but it was still too early to plant row crops. In the south low plains and central counties some planting was done during the latter part of the week. In the northern low plains, North, East and Southeast Texas, it was too wet to work the soil, while the coastal bend and South Texas remained too dry. Greenburg damage to small grains appeared to have been mostly checked, except for an area in the eastern Panhandle.

Wheat has thick stands and made rank growth in most of the important producing areas of northeast Texas.

In the greenup devastated section of North Texas, a small proportion of the oats and barley acreage which had not been plowed up continued to improve, but the crop will be small.

**Twin Launchings**

U. S. Destroyers

Orange Thursday

ORANGE, May 7.—(P)—In a twin destroyer launching at the Consolidated Steel Corporation, Ltd. yards today the U. S. S. Harrison was to slide down the ways at 11:30 a. m. after being christened by Mrs. Harry B. Hird, wife of the company's vice president.

The U. S. S. R. John Rogers was to leave its cradle at 2 p. m., sponsored by Miss Helen Perry Rodgers of the United States embassy in Mexico and great-great granddaughter of Commodore John Rodgers, for whom the vessel is named.

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**Black Hills Baptist  
W.M.U. In Regular  
Session For Study**

The Black Hills W. M. U. met in regular session with Mrs. W. N. Hamilton this week. The lesson on the thirtieth and thirty-eighth chapters of Exodus was led by Mrs. W. N. Hamilton, preceded by a prayer by Miss Ora Speegle.

After the lesson, the grab box was enjoyed by all present. This was also regular cookie day for theaphans home.

During the social hour, the hostess served a refreshment plate to Mesdames C. V. Brethaupt, O. S. Rich, E. F. Cook, Olen Rich, F. P. McCulston, C. M. Stover and the visitors were Mrs. Jess Dunton and Miss Ora Speegle.

The next meeting will be a social meeting with Mrs. C. M. Stover, Monday, May 11.

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**DISLOCATIONS OF  
POPULATIONS HARD  
ON AMERICAN LIFE**

**NATIONAL CONGRESS OF  
PARENTS, TEACHERS HEADS  
INTO FINAL SESSIONS**

By WILLIAM T. RIVES  
SAN ANTONIO, May 7.—(P)—

Warned that dislocations of population due to war industries is "blasting" American life more than aggression, the National Congress of Parents and Teachers headed into the final sessions today of one of the most important conventions in its history.

Already, according to a stout program of increased service in wartime, the Congress has listened to scores of speakers emphasizing the need for a well-knit, smoothly-functioning home front.

Paul Kellogg, editor of the Survey Graphic, said less attention should be paid to "mythical bombs" and more to communities' problems of housing, health and recreation.

It was suggested that the defense council be broadened, divested of stuffed shirts and political skates" and use persons "prepared to take off their shirts and go to work."

The "tendency" to rely on congressional investigations to expose irregularities was criticized by Kellogg, who urged communities to assume additional responsibility.

The findings committee, which prepares the finds that the American Legion associations may follow during the coming year, announced it would submit its report to the Congress today.

Memphis, St. Louis, Chicago and Indianapolis were bidding for the next convention. The site will be picked later by the board of managers.

Dr. Eret S. Eppright of the Texas State College for Women said America's "present need is a vast educational program which will reach into every home."

**CATTLE PRODUCERS  
DECIDE HOLD THEIR  
STOCK OFF MARKET**

**DECLINE SINCE CEILING  
PLACED ON FRESH MEATS  
BRINGS RESENTMENT**

By WILLIAM FERRIS  
CHICAGO, May 7.—(P)—Cattle producers, reacting quickly to sharp price declines since the Office of Price Administration's announcement that ceilings would be imposed on dressed beef, have reduced substantially shipments of all major markets.

A drop of 25 cents to \$1 a hundred pounds in values late last week, followed by another 50 cent decline Monday, convinced producers their best bet in resisting the downturn will be to curtail marketing. Livestock circles acknowledged the producers' intent to hold out.

Reversing the trend of earlier this year, cattle offered for sale in 12 principal centers in the first three days this week totaled 102,300 head against 129,800 in the comparable 1941 days. In the same period last week, 149,200 saleable head arrived.

This made a distinct contrast with April, when 767,430 head arrived at the same 12 markets compared with 659,000 in April.

For the first four months this year saleable receipts totalled 2,996,157 head against 2,521,271 in 1941.

A feature of the cattle runs was the practically complete absence of choice or prime steers. With packers reducing the premiums, normally paid for such offerings, the supply has consisted largely of mediocre grades, nearly last week, before the OPA's order, choice cattle amounting to 17.25 in hundred pounds at Chicago. The top this week, established Wednesday, was \$15.75—paid for much less attractive quality.

**Must Aid Children.**

GALVESTON, May 7.—(P)—Community which fail to provide recreation to take the minds of children off the war are negligent, speakers declared today at a joint conference of Texas recreation workers.

R. D. Evans of Fort Worth, president of the association, declared it was the duty of every city to provide play for children, so that "they will not grow old in war time."

The hospital matron declared, "we are certain about three of them, anyway."

**Family Gathering  
In Lonsford Home  
On Last Sunday**

A family gathering that included all but one son was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lonsford, 616 North Twenty-Third street. Among those present were Staff Sergeant and Mrs. William E. Lonsford, Lowry Field, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. E. B. Jones of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bowers and children of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Howard of Corsicana. Fred Miller, now at the naval training station at San Diego, was the only family member missing.

**Maze Allergic to Airplanes.**

LOS ANGELES, May 7.—(P)—Blonde Ann Southern won a divorce today when she told the judge that Husband Roger Pryor's insistence on flying constituted cruelty.

"We separated twice before our final separation," she testified in Superior Judge Harry R. Archibald's court. "And all three breakups were due to the same thing—airplanes."

**Sun Want Ads Bring Results.**

The consignment Thursday morning brought the season's total to \$315,830.00.

**A. T. SMITH**

Grocery, Feed and Seed.

To the Poultry Raisers of Navarro County:

Do you want a better price for your eggs.

Now stop and think—Not one egg you sell to us goes to cold storage. I will be buying eggs this fall and winter. Not selling cold storage eggs.

I want to thank every person that is selling me their chickens, sour cream and eggs for their business.

Now to hold these prices up and to get a better price, I am going to have to buy more eggs.

## THERE IS STILL TIME FOR PLANTING PEANUTS IN TEXAS

MAY BE PLANTED AS LATE AS MID-JUNE WHEN THERE IS PLENTY OF MOISTURE

COLLEGE STATION, May 7.—If soil moisture is sufficient, peanuts may be planted up to mid-June over a large area in Texas with assurance of a crop, says E. A. Miller, agronomist of the A. and M. College Extension Service.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture asked Texas farmers to grow 1,000,000 acres of peanuts. But they may plant as much more, as they wish for oil. This acreage, more than three times greater than was planted in 1941, is an important part of the war effort. Fats and oils are needed for consumption by the people at home, by the people of allied nations, and for the manufacture of glycerine, an important element in high explosives.

It is estimated that 12,500,000,000 (billion) pounds of oils and fats will be needed in the United States in 1942. Farmers will have to produce a large part of this. Peanuts is one of the best sources, Miller says.

The secretary of agriculture has fixed a price support of \$2 a ton or \$1.23 a bushel of 30 pounds for No. 1 white Spanish nuts, delivered to an approved agency.

"With this bottom price the peanut is a good cash crop on sandy and sandy loam soils over a large part of Texas," Miller points out. "In many cases it is a more profitable crop than cotton on such soils."

To obtain maximum yield the land should be prepared by flat-breaking or bedding. The need-Spanish type peanuts are best suited to Texas—should be planted in 36-inch rows at the rate of about 45 pounds of unshelled, or 25 to 30 pounds of shelled nuts an acre. Soaking unshelled nuts over night before planting hastens germination, but shelled seed should never be soaked. Enough shallow cultivation should be given to destroy weeds and grass and gradually work soil to the plants until they begin to bloom and set pods. From 100 to 200 pounds of 20 per cent superphosphate an acre is recommended on loamy soils, or an equal amount of 4-12-4 on lighter sandy soils.

**PRECAUTIONS ARE URGED CONNECTION BLASTING CAPS**

AUSTIN, May 7.—(Spl.)—With recent months bringing to Texas a great number of defense construction projects, the danger resulting from the careless handling of blasting caps has been greatly magnified, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"Due to occasional carelessness on the part of workmen, live caps sometimes are left in the neighborhood of construction jobs and thus get into the hands of children or others ignorant of their character," Dr. Cox said. "Curiosity often leads to tampering with these blasting caps with resulting serious injury."

Parents and school teachers should stress that it is perilous to hit blasting caps with a hammer or other instrument, and that it is equally hazardous to throw them into fires, Dr. Cox states. Children should be warned not to touch blasting caps. If they come upon a stray one they should report the fact promptly to some one in authority or to their parents, so that proper steps can be taken to remove this potential danger to life and limb.

With the dangerous character of blasting caps sufficiently emphasized, and children trained not to touch them, the hazards now associated with them can be practically eliminated, Dr. Cox said.

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## HEALTH, BEAUTY AND POISE

HOW TO IMPROVE YOUR PERSONALITY

By VERONICA DENGEL

### TRAIN TRAVEL

When you read this, spring will be over, but as I write it, I am riding a train on a speedway to New York. The train is heading me a New York, which was cold and damp (after two or three days of a spring preview.) There is still no sign of budding trees, or an earth that is waking to a new season. But as my train races southwest through Ohio and Indiana, and Illinois, and Missouri, there is a great change in the scene. There are green grass, and fruit trees, just beginning to blossom, and willows well covered with their lacy green pattern, other trees budding, and a few rock gardens in early flower. Tomorrow, as I get into the real South on my way to Texas, I shall reach full bloom of trees and flowers, warm sunshine and sprouting farms.

The thought came to me at lunch as I looked out the window, that each state in the union has its own individuality, its own special scenery, even differences of dialect and accent, as well as customs—and still there is a pervading sameness everywhere one goes. There are the same advertisements of nationally used products—although one sees other advertisements of brands unknown at home. There are the stations along the way all owned by a certain railroad company—and so with their differences of appearance. There are the buildings in such large cities of the same huge farm implement company—although each has its different personnel and customers. And there are the same federal laws, although each state has its own laws peculiar to that state alone.

And it occurred to me that our country, with its unity of states—individual in themselves, but still making a complete whole—was comparable to the people living in this country. We, each and every one of us, are the parts and can repair any make or model magnetos. We carry a complete line of new magnetos for all tractors and motors.

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### SUNFLOWER STREET

By Tom Lyle and Tom Sims



### Crossword Puzzle

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- 1. Tablet
- 2. Cripples
- 3. Pronoun
- 4. 10. Angry
- 5. Brazilian macaw
- 6. Troublesome voice
- 7. Horse
- 8. Piece to prevent slipping
- 9. Negligently
- 10. That fellow
- 11. Triangular instrument
- 12. Part
- 13. Taints
- 14. Rail bird
- 15. Unspun silk
- 16. Feminine name
- 17. On the highest point
- 18. 25. Rose-red dress
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## COMMODITY MARKETS

Quotations From Major Exchanges.

## Local Markets

Cotton	20.00	Fort Worth Cash Grain
Cotton seed	\$20.00	FOR 100 lbs., May 7-17—Wheat
		No. 1 soft red winter 1.94-3.38 3-4.
		No. 1 hard 1.27-1.4 201-4.
		Bailey No. 2 non 71-72.
		Southern No. 2 yellow 1 mile per 100
		lb. non 1.22-3.01 No. 2 white 100
		lb. non 1.18-2.21
		Corn, shelled, No. 2 white 1.08-1.2
		1.02-1.22
		Cats No. 2 red 65-66.

## Grains and Provisions

Cotton	20.00	Wheat Shows Gain.
Texas Spot Markets		CHICAGO, May 7—(UPI)—Resisting
DALLAS May 7.—Cotton 20.05:		what prices today reached highs un-
Houston 20.00; Galveston 20.00.		seen here since April 13. Corn, Barry,
New Orleans Cotton Table		Emhouse and some other commu-
NEW ORLEANS, May 7.—(UPI)—Cotton		nities drive this week, according
future today was very steady 10 to		to information received by County
12 points not higher.		Chairman Joe E. Butler.
Open High Low Close		Dawson residents have sent in
May 10.18b 10.19 10.18 10.25		\$119.75 on a quota of \$150, and no
July 10.19 10.19 10.18 10.25		reports have been received from
October 10.20 10.20 10.19 10.25		Bloomington, Keweenaw, Barry,
December 10.20 10.20 10.19 10.25		Emhouse and some other commu-
January 10.20b 10.20 10.19 10.25		nities drive this week, according
March 10.20 10.20 10.19 10.25		to information received by County
May 10.21b 10.20 10.19 10.25		Chairman Joe E. Butler.
New York Cotton Table		Dawson residents have sent in
NEW YORK, May 7.—(UPI)—Cotton fu-		\$119.75 on a quota of \$150, and no
tures closed 40 to 75 cents a bale higher.		reports have been received from
High 10.20b 10.20 10.19 10.25		Bloomington, Keweenaw, Barry,
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New Orleans Spots Higher		Bloomington, Keweenaw, Barry,
NEW ORLEANS, May 7.—(UPI)—Spot		Emhouse and some other commu-
cotton closed steady 10 points higher.		nities drive this week, according
Sales 726. Low middle 18.67, mid-		to information received by County
726.70, high 20.42, per cent.		Chairman Joe E. Butler.
May 10.21 10.21 10.20 10.20		Dawson residents have sent in
Midvale spot 21.00		\$119.75 on a quota of \$150, and no
Nominal.		reports have been received from

## Pastorate of 23 Years in Keren Church is Closed

KERENS, May 7.—(Spl.)—Sunday night marked the closing of the sermon of 23 years' ministry in the First Presbyterian church, Rev. Joe N. Keren, who left with his wife, Ethelene, Tuesday for Clarksville, their new pastorate.

The occasion was filled with sadness, shared by members of all churches of the city, as well as those with no church affiliation.

Perhaps no more popular person has ever lived in our midst, and so closely was he associated with all phases of life as has been lived for the over two decades of his incumbency, it is hard to imagine the future with no "Brother Keren."

No church services were held elsewhere in Keren's Sunday night and hundreds of friends and well-wishers filled to overflowing both the auditorium and Sunday school annex of the Presbyterian church.

Stating that no harder task than that of choosing a last sermon could be performed, Mr. Keren did not depart greatly from his accustomed Sunday evening messages, and after expressing in part many of the things which so filled his heart, pained the familiar "Whosoever will, may come."

Supply Pastor.

In a meeting of the elders of the First Presbyterian church, held Monday night, the pulpit committee presented to the church as supply pro tem, the Rev. Finis Hodges of Corsicana, who will, it is understood, remain in his new duties as head of the church here Sunday morning.

Mr. Hodges is no stranger in Keren's, having on several occasions filled the pulpit so capably, it is felt the choice was a wise one, and the supposition is that he will at a future date be ordained as regular pastor.

Is Naval Officer.

KERENS, May 7.—(Spl.)—Word has been received that William M. Dickey, former Keren boy, and son of George W. Dickey, Houston policeman, is now a lieutenant commander with a fleet in the Pacific.

Commander Dickey received a large portion of his education in the Keren schools and for many years his father was in the same business here.

Keren's Man Injured.

KERENS, May 7.—(Spl.)—John Fitzgerald and Sidney Westbrook who were injured in an accident near Madisonville last week, are recuperating at their homes, and

The Weather

East Texas: Slightly cooler in the southeast portion and slightly warmer in the north. West portion to night, little temperature change elsewhere; scattered thunderstorms in south portion this afternoon and night, except in Panhandle.

High and low readings on the local government thermometer for the 24 hour period ending at 7 o'clock Thursday morning were 70 and 65. Rainfall for the same period 1.02 inches.

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expect soon to be able to return to their work with a construction project in the report area.

With the conditions and diminished lights of an approaching car were said to be contributory cause to loss of control of the car driven by the Keren men, which turned completely over.

## HOPE TO COMPLETE NAVY RELIEF DRIVE DURING THIS WEEK

Community chairmen in various parts of Navarro county were reporting that their final efforts to complete the Navy Relief Society drive this week, according to information received by County Chairman Joe E. Butler.

Dawson residents have sent in \$119.75 on a quota of \$150, and no reports have been received from Blooming Grove, Keren, Barry, Emhouse and some other communities.

Additional Corsicana contributions amounting to \$23.55 were received Thursday, bringing the grand total to \$1,524.63.

The list included:

Oil City Iron Works—

Foundry employees

Shop \$ 6.00

Office \$ 2.50

Total \$10.55

T. J. Hickey \$ 2.00

Radio Service Co. \$ 5.00

R. H. Higdon \$ 5.00

S. N. Georges \$ 1.00

C. A. Middleton \$ 1.00

Dr. E. F. Waters \$ 1.00

Air Activities of Texas \$ 1.00

Citizens of Dawson \$ 119.75

The list of Dawson contributors follows:

M. H. Hampton \$ 1.00

M. C. Edwards \$ 1.50

White Front Store \$ 1.00

Fred Teague \$ 1.00

Dawson Lumber Co. \$ 1.00

L. W. Edwards \$ 1.00

W. A. Conney \$ 1.00

Gomey &amp; Sims \$ 1.00

J. F. Hagle \$ 1.00

Frank Teekell \$ 1.00

D. Barber \$ 1.00

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Edwin Davis \$ 1.00

J. L. McCullough \$ 1.00

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B. E. Hardy \$ 1.00

Coy Bell \$ 1.00

Hawthorne Drug Co. \$ 1.00

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A. M. Moore \$ 1.00

G. W. Lawrence \$ 1.00

W. H. Baker \$ 1.00

G. C. Weaver \$ 1.00

J. E. Davis \$ 1.00

Mrs. Clem. Howard \$ 1.00

J. W. Smith \$ 1.00

Curtis W. Sparks \$ 1.00

H. B. Boggett \$ 1.00

Clyde Gardner \$ 1.00

W. G. Hale \$ 1.00

Dewey Renfro \$ 1.00

H. P. Pate \$ 1.00

E. C. Slater \$ 1.00

J. W. E. Eddins \$ 1.00

J. C. Cottman \$ 1.00

L. C. Lankford \$ 1.00

H. P. Buggett \$ 1.00

C. E. Hull \$ 1.00

Gus Goble \$ 1.00

Zola Nesmith \$ 1.00

Gilbert Bell \$ 1.00

C. M. Newton \$ 2.50

Citizens of Pelham Community (colored) \$ 10.50

Dawson Public School \$ 9.00

## ORGANIZATION SET UP TO AID GETTING OIL EAST SEABOARD

STRESSED THAT ORGANIZATION NOT IN OPPOSITION TO ANY GOVERNMENT BODIES

SAN ANTONIO, May 7.—(AP)—An organization to be composed of "Everyone who is interested in winning the war and who is interested in seeing industry operate 100 per cent efficiently along the Eastern seaboard—from Canada to Mexico" was set up at a meeting of independent oilmen's committee Wednesday.

Henderson Coquat, chairman of the committee, stressed that the organization, which was named the Emergency Oil Transportation Association, was not just for oilmen. "It is to be strictly non-political and non-profit," he said. "It is not in conflict with any of the governing bodies or their policies, but is simply to try and help them and act in cooperation with them to solve the problem."

Coquat said the primary aim of the organization is to find a permanent solution to the problem of transporting oil economically to the Eastern and Northern shores in sufficient quantities both for the war effort and civilian use to insure 100 per cent efficiency to industry.

The organization will back the Mansfield bill providing for an immediate construction of a canal across the base of Florida, and the Coastal canal which is already in operation from Florida to Brownsville, Texas.

Coquat said Rep. Joe Mansfield, chairman of the house rivers and harbors committee, had expressed appreciation of the oilmen's efforts and asked that a committee be sent to Washington for the hearing of the bill when it was ready. This committee will include Col. Ernest O. Thompson, chairman of the Texas railroad commission; Harry Pennington of San Antonio; Maston Nixon of Corpus Christi, a member to be selected from Houston, a Major Hardy of Louisville.

The group will be under the direction of Roy Miller of Corpus Christi, chairman of the intercoastal waterways.

**Charles V. Lee Died At Houston Thursday**

HOUSTON, May 7.—(AP)—Charles Vernon Lee, 63, president of the Lee Petroleum Corporation of San Angelo, and brother of the late T. P. Lee and W. E. Lee, prominent Houston oil man, died today in a Houston hospital.

A native of West Virginia, Lee had lived in Beaumont and Houston for a number of years before going to San Angelo to make his home in 1927.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Merle Lee of San Angelo; three daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Jones, Mrs. Mary Lee of San Angelo, Mrs. Margaret Volkman of Bernardi; one son, Leslie Lee of San Angelo; a brother, Humphrey A. Lee of Murraytown, W. Va. and two grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

## WHERE AMERICANS MADE LAST STAND



From the island fortress of Corregidor where American forces made their last major stand in the Philippines, this looks across the narrow strait to Bataan Peninsula from which Japanese guns blasted in constant assault. A sunken ship in the strait is evidence of battle. Continued aerial and artillery bombardment preceded the island's fall, the war department announced.

### RAINEY CONDEMNS DRAFTING FACULTY, COLLEGE STUDENTS

### PRESIDENT TEXAS UNIVERSITY DISCUSSES PRESENT PROGRAM OF GOVERNMENT

### SWEET POTATO PLANT BUYERS URGED TO USE SELECTION CAUTION

### WOULD HAVE STATE PURCHASE BOMBER OUT PENSION FUND

J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture, has issued a statement to sweet potato plant buyers advising them to be careful in the selection of the plants.

A portion of his statement follows:

"Protect yourself and the sweet potato industry of Texas by demanding a tag on every bundle of slips you buy. These tags are your only insurance against black rot, stem wilt and the sweet potato weevils. They are issued by the state department of agriculture, only to growers who have had inspections and it is unlawful to sell slips without the proper 1942 tags attached. Untagged slips may have come from diseased seed or from weevil infested beds outside of the post free zones and may have weevil eggs in the base of the slips. Many weevil infestations have been traced directly to infested slips."

The nation's universities, President Rainey maintained, because "we can give these students technical training valuable to the war effort if they will leave them in the universities."

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By BRACK CURRY

AUSTIN, May 7.—(AP)—President Homer P. Rainey of the University of Texas today condemned drafting of university students and faculty members, asserting the government was taking the nation's supply of trained manpower at its source.

"I don't think the government should take boys under 20 for the armed services," he said in an interview.

Advocating requisitioning of "everybody who can help in this fight to the death," the head of the South's largest university urged a selective draft that would classify individuals according to potential abilities.

Draft authorities, he said, should consider a man's training as well as his physical condition before sending him to the army.

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DALLAS, May 7.—(AP)—Gen. Robert P. Scott, Confederate veteran, observed his 95th birthday today with a proposal to use part of the surplus in the state pension fund for Confederate veterans to purchase a biplane for the U. S. Army Air Corps.

"The state treasury recently reported a \$1,000,000 surplus in the pension fund," General Scott said. "Only 104 Texas veterans are now alive and not much of the fund set up by the state for their assistance is needed any longer.

"Veterans over the state with whom I have talked favor the plan to purchase an army biplane. We would like to christen it the 'Texas Old Confederate Plane'."

Another Rain Fell Wednesday Morning

A heavy rain started falling here shortly after 7 o'clock Wednesday morning and by 10:30 had amounted to .70 of an inch. Only a trace was listed on the government gauge at 7 o'clock, a very light shower having fallen before that hour.

Farm work, which was just getting under way again, will be delayed several days.

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## War's Strain On Transportation Hampering Foods

WASHINGTON, May 7.—(AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Wickard declared today the war's strain on the nation's distribution system was placing "serious obstacles in the way of getting food to American consumers."

"In transportation—by rail, truck or ship—the situation is so tight," he said, "that we cannot afford to move anything that is not absolutely essential." In fact, there is so much to be moved that usually it is a case of which essential product has priority over other essential goods."

In a speech prepared for delivery before a conference of governors and other state and federal officials on governmental laws and regulations which restrict the war

## Selective Service Board Members at Dallas Meeting

Members of the two Navarro County Selective Service Boards were in Dallas Wednesday night attending a gathering of similar groups from a wide area.

Representatives of the Washington headquarters of the Selective Service System were present and outlined the regulations and their application, prospective changes and similar matters.

effort, Wickard said many of the difficulties confronting the food industry are "old problems."

"The federal government, no less than the state and local governments, is responsible for laws and regulations which undoubtedly hinder the free flow of supplies to farmers and hamper the processing and distribution of farm products after they have been produced."

"x x x we must remove every impediment of food production and distribution that can be removed."

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